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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re the Application of:  
Marlow, et al.

Serial No.: 10/686,657  
Filed: October 17, 2003  
For: PAPER ELIMINATION IN THE PRODUCTION OF  
BATTERY PLATES

Examiner: Boyer D. Ashley  
Art Unit: 3724  
Our File: T8-465812US1

October 19, 2004

Sir:

**REQUEST FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

An extension of time of two months is requested in which to respond to the Office Action dated May 19, 2004, thereby extending the due date from August 19, 2004, to October 19, 2004.

Please charge the extension fee of \$430.00 and any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 07-1750. A duplicate copy of this letter is attached for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,  
Marlow, et al.


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